The question now recurs to the pasage of the bill on its second and third readings, as amended.

The bill passes its second and third readings, as amended, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment.

On motion of Mr. Venters the House adjourns and will meet tomorrow at 12:00 o'clock noon.

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

House of Representatives Thursday, April 11, 1957

The House meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by Mr. Speaker Doughton.

Prayer is offered by the Reverend Alphonso Jordan, House Chaplain.

Mr. Stone, for the Committee on the Journal, reports that the Journal of yesterday has been examined, found correct, and without objection the same stands approved as written.

On motion of Mr. Womble of Wake H. B. 645 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to provide that benefits under the North Carolina Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System may be payable to certain members whose service is terminated prior to age sixty," is taken from the Committee on Employment Security and recommitted to the Committee on Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement.

On motion of Mr. Turner H. B. 649 entitled, "a bill to be entitled An act to amend Chapter 220 of the Private Laws of 1893 so as to change the time for elections held in the Town of Aberdeen in Moore County," is taken from the Committee on Local Government and placed on the Calendar.

Mr. Lloyd is granted an indefinite leave of absence due to illness.

Mr. Holmes is granted a leave of absence for April 12, 13, 15 and 16.

Mr. Buchanan is granted a leave of absence for the remainder of the week, April 12 and 13.

On motion of Mr. Quinn, L. A. Love, III, Reed Allen Love, Kent Edward Love and Deborah Jayne Love of Mecklenburg County are made honorary pages and pagette, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Quinn, Becky Jane Lackey and William Ray Lackey, Jr., of Alexander County are made honorary pagette and page, respectively, of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Wall, Herbert Stevenson Hardy, John Carlton Hardy and Barbara Lynn Hardy, sons and daughter of Representative and Mrs.